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In re application: **Sakaguchi**Serial No.: **09/439,130**Filed: **November 12, 1999**For: **Method and System for
Collaborating Among Interconnected
Client Terminals**§
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§ **Group Art Unit: 2157**
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§ **Examiner: Burgess, Barbara N.**
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§ **Attorney Docket No.: JA9-98-217**
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Listing of the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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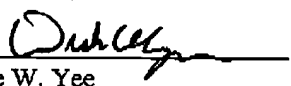
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